

3 O'CLOCK

THE FEVER TYRANT'S REIGN.

ALL JACKSONVILLE IS LYING UNDER THE YELLOW-FEVER SCOURGE.

People Relieve in the City and the Death-Cart Is Kept Busy in the Street—Hotter Weather and Fresh Cases To-Day—A Scarcity of Nurses—The Remaining Big Stores Close—Crowds Fleeing for Life.

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)
JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Aug. 30.—The yellow-fever scourge still shows no abatement, and the people of this beleaguered city are in a state of actual panic.

The weather continues to be hot and muggy, and to-day's weather prediction that two weeks of hot weather is in store for Florida has driven the little remaining hope from the hearts of the people.

The temperature for the past forty-eight hours has ranged from 93 to 97 degrees, and thirty-four new cases of the fever were reported last night, with four deaths. This swelled the number of cases to 164 and the number of deaths to twenty-three.

Among yesterday's deaths was that of Rosa De Leina, a Sister of Charity who had been a faithful nurse to the early sufferers. No time is left for grief, however, as those who are still uninfected are filled with dread for themselves.

Nearly all the business houses dealing in goods not of absolute daily necessity have been closed for a week, and now the big dry-goods house of Furbush & Benedict is closed. The announcement of the closing of this house caused all the remaining dry-goods, furnishing-goods and similar houses to shut their doors.

The city hall for the north was crowded to-day, the authorities having relaxed their rigid quarantine restrictions to some extent.

At a conference at Orange Park it was decided to give all unobstructed passage to passengers not already sick, but they are obliged to go in locked cars. Through freight from the north is permitted passage also.

The insufficiency of the force of physicians and nurses at Camp Perry has become alarmingly apparent, and a call for trained nurses has been issued by Gov. Perry.

Provisions are becoming very scarce in lower Florida, and much suffering is resulting. The business standstill now extends all over the State, and through consequent lack of employment the working people are reduced to desperate straits.

Men who are honest and good citizens under ordinary circumstances are forced to turn thieves or starve, while the restles ones, never satisfied with their lot, are seeking the opportunity to pilfer from the hundreds of vacant houses in Jacksonville and Tampa.

It has been developed that the fever is much more rampant in the north quarter of Jacksonville where city water and other improvements have been introduced than in the sections where wells are depended on for water.

The fever started at the river front and has not extended back very far.

Jack Pollard, who was taken ill at Boulogne, was ordered back to Jacksonville without medical treatment in the hotel soon after his arrival, and the strongest denunciation is made of the Boulogne authorities.

The colored people have been left out of all calculations for relief, and they have finally organized a relief association among themselves. For some unknown reason, there is less fever proportionately among the colored people than among the whites.

Forty families of whites have started for Judge Jones's refuge camp, which has just been made ready for their reception. This is at Manoir Springs. It consists of fifty tents and some houses, and is situated in a healthy place. It is on an elevation, and to-morrow 100 people will be sent there.

The firing of cannon and burning of far is still kept up in Jacksonville, and the fever experts have lost all faith in these things as remedies for the dread disease.

They say, however, that it helps to sustain the little remaining hope, and that the ignorant, and is therefore, worth doing.

The department offices of the Brunswick and Western Railway have been removed from Brunswick to Waycross, Ga., though there is no fever at the former place. This shows how strong the scare is in the yellow-fever region.

While some old Floridians are still declaring that there is no yellow fever in this State, a World reporter who visited the Sand Hills Hospital, says that he saw there a dozen cases of which there could be no doubt.

Colic, constipation and almost insupportable eyeballs, together with a peculiar sickly odor, tell the tale too surely.

Death usually results from black vomit, and the sick are in a most pitiable condition at last. There were three recoveries yesterday, and each of them declared that they had suffered a living death. Convalescents are left so weak that they are helpless for many days after they are pronounced to be recovered.

Jacksonville has had no such virulent attack before since 1822, and knowledge of the disease has hardly increased during these sixty years. It is distinctly a disease of dirty places. In 1856 yellow fever broke out in Gravesend Bay and extended along the river banks into Brooklyn, stopping at the paved streets. New York had it from Hector Street down to the Battery in 1822.

Cleanliness of the city will save us from any attack nowadays, say the savants.

New York Markets.
Wheat—December wheat opened 1/2c below last night's closing quotation, at 1.02 1/2, and advanced to 1.03 1/2 soon afterwards. Sept. opened at 1.01 1/2, and closed at 1.02 1/2. Markets firm. Liverpool futures quiet.

Cotton—August opened at points up at 11.25. Other months advanced 1/2 to 3/4 points. Sept. 11.25, Oct. 10.90, Nov. 10.50, Dec. 10.25, Jan. 9.90, Feb. 9.55, March 9.20, April 8.85, May 8.50, June 8.15, July 7.80, August 7.45. Market firm. Liverpool firm.

Metals—Copper—Certificates opened 5/16 off, at 91 1/2, and advanced to 92 1/2. Subsequently the quotation declined to 91 1/2. Market dull, but steady.

Attachment Against C. H. Applegate.
Judge Patterson, in Supreme Court, Chambers, to-day granted an attachment against the property in this State of the Merchant World Company, of New Jersey, and of Charles H. Applegate, of this city, in the suit of Marvin F. Wood for the recovery of \$212.50 on a promissory note.

The notes were made payable at the Central National Bank, but when presented at maturity payment was refused.

Use the surest remedy for catarrh—Dr. Sage's.

MR. MILLS HAS A NEW LEAVE.

He Will Speak on the Tariff at a Big New York Meeting To-Night.

Congressman Roger Q. Mills, of Texas, who is registered at the St. Cloud, had gone out a few minutes prior to the arrival of EVYING World reporter this morning, but Congressman W. G. Stahlnecker, of the Fourteenth New York District, who had met Mr. Mills upon his arrival, volunteered to speak for him.

"What about Mr. Mills being recalled to Washington by the Sergeant-at-Arms?" inquired the reporter.

Mr. Stahlnecker laughed heartily.

"There is absolutely nothing in that," said he. "We were all recalled, and I was about to start for Washington when I received a telegram saying that a quorum had been obtained and that a new leave had been granted. It was the same way with Mr. Mills. We have all been granted new leave."

"Is it Mr. Mills's intention to stump the country?" inquired the reporter.

"He has no such special scheme around the country until Congress adjourns, when he will have his own district to take care of."

"We will be joined by Mr. Breckenridge, of Kentucky, this afternoon, and he will speak at the evening meeting at the Democratic Club ratification meeting at Warburton Hall."

"As the hall is not large enough to accommodate the crowd, one of us will have to hold an outdoor meeting."

"Mr. Mills will speak to the workmen there on the tariff, and my speech will be closely connected therewith."

"From other sources it was learned that the meeting will be one of the largest ever held in New York. The distinguished guests will be met at the depot by the Committee of Arrangements, and a large parade of militia, accompanied by the usual enthusiasm."

WAR AGAINST THE ITALIANS.

Citizens' Association at Long Island City Objects to a New Colony.

The Citizens' Association, of Long Island City, held a short but spirited meeting at its headquarters last night, and unapologetically denounced the abuses which it is its chief object to correct, and to maintain or in any way abetted them.

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ON THE DIAMOND.

Standing of the Clubs This Morning.

LEAGUE.	WON.	LOST.	PER CENT.
New York	63	35	64.3
Boston	58	40	59.0
Pittsburgh	55	43	56.1
Philadelphia	54	44	55.0
Washington	53	45	54.0
St. Louis	52	46	52.6
Cleveland	51	47	51.6
Chicago	50	48	50.0
San Francisco	49	49	49.5
Los Angeles	48	50	48.0
Portland	47	51	47.9
San Diego	46	52	46.2

Games Scheduled for To-Day.

LEAGUE.	CLUBS.
New York at Boston.	
Washington at Philadelphia.	
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.	
Chicago at Cleveland.	

Stabbed His Wife in the Face.

John Wilson, twenty-five years, of 350 West Seventeenth street, got into an altercation with his wife, Mary, soon after 1 o'clock this morning and after a lively time he drew a pocketknife and stabbed her in the face.

The police arrested Wilson and his wife was sent to the New York Hospital.

Condensed Local News.

A slight fire caused by the overturning of a kerosene lamp on the fourth floor of the tenement 38 Orchard street last morning did not cause damage.

United States Commissioner Hitchcock held a further examination to-day in the case of Joseph Malone, one of the gang of Italian counterfeiters recently arrested by the Secret Service officers. A motion for the dismissal of the complaint was denied, and the examination was adjourned.

WHO WILL SUCCEED HEWITT?

A FINE LIST OF AVAILABLE CANDIDATES IN CASE HE DOESN'T RUN AGAIN.

What the Oracles Say of De Launcey Nicoll, J. J. O'Donohue, Judge Dugro, Herman Oelrichs, Russell P. Flower, J. P. Coogan and Others—All Depend on Whether There Is a Union of the Factions.

Who will be our next Mayor? That is the question which is racking the brains of our distinguished local statesmen. Will there be a union between Tammany Hall and the County Democracy?

"This conundrum is getting to be a 'chestnut,'" said the reporter.

"The Mayorality question," remarked a Wigwam sage to-day, "will not be settled until we have returned from the Buffalo Convention."

"The National Committee and the State Committee," exclaimed a County Democracy oracle, "will compel us to unite."

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HEIRESS TO TEN MILLIONS.

MRS. ALEXANDER'S RICH LEGACY FROM HER FATHER, CHARLES CROCKER.

She Is the Wife of Lawyer Charles B. Alexander, of This City, and the Californian Millionaire's Favorite Daughter—An Estate of Over \$25,000,000 Divided Among the Relatives.

By the will of the late California millionaire, Charles Crocker, a New York lady became the heiress of nearly \$10,000,000.

The lady is Mrs. H. V. Alexander, wife of Lawyer Charles B. Alexander, the son of the senior member of the prominent law firm of Alexander & Green.

Mrs. Alexander was the favorite child of the ex-governor of Sacramento, whose fortunate connection with the building of the Central Pacific Railway made him a modern Crocker.

That she held a large place in the heart of her father is evidenced by the fact that she remained with him until about two years ago, when illal love, though not extinguished, had to share the possession of her heart with a stronger passion, and she became the wife of Mr. Alexander.

Mrs. Alexander was at that time about thirty-two years of age, and is now a handsome woman of thirty-six.

At the time of Mr. Crocker's death Mr. and Mrs. Alexander were living at their cottage near the city of San Francisco, where they were spending their summer. Their residence is a large and sumptuously furnished mansion 4 West Fifty-eighth street.

The sorrowful news of the death of Mr. Crocker followed close upon a joyful event in the Alexander household—the birth of an heir to the many millions his grandfather left.

This occurred seven weeks ago.

When Mr. Crocker was in the hospital, where the will of Mr. Crocker was filed for probate, estimates the value of his estate at \$25,250,000; but it is believed by friends of the deceased that the actual value will exceed the estimate several millions.

Half of this is left to the widow, Mrs. Mary A. Crocker, who is also the executrix of the will. George Crocker, a son of the testator, is given all advances made to him by his father.

ELECTRICIANS IN CONVENTION.

They Enlarge Mayor Hewitt and Hear Wise Words About the Wires.

The second day's session of the semi-annual convention of the National Electric Light Association is in progress in the banquet hall of the Hotel Brunswick.

Elhu Thomson's resignation was received from the Committee on Insulation and Installation of Electric Plants, and President Duncan will appoint his successor.

On motion of A. R. Foote, of Cincinnati, the thanks of the association are extended to Mayor Hewitt for his address of welcome of yesterday, and it was ordered that his address be printed in pamphlet form.

Mr. Foote said he would order 3,000 copies of the address for distribution among the business men of Cincinnati.

Following is the text of Mr. Foote's eulogistic resolution:

"Whereas, Abram S. Hewitt, Mayor of New York, has been associated with an address of welcome; and

"Whereas, his address has given a concise and complete presentation of the importance of the utilization of electrical force in the mechanical service of the people, which is a landmark in the history of the electric power of business affairs; therefore, be it

Resolved, That as a mark of appreciation of his masterful grasp of the importance of the subject, his clear-sighted and generous presentation of it, and his kindly courtesy, the Secretary of the association be, and he be directed to print an authorized copy of said address in pamphlet form and supply the same to the members of the association at a price of 10 cents in advance of the cost of production."

Mr. Stewart, of Baltimore, in seconding Mr. Foote's motion, declared that Mayor Hewitt's views would go far to and electricians in their fight against the general ignorance of the subject of electricity.

President Duncan's reply to the Mayor will be incorporated in the pamphlet.

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One-quarter of the remainder is divided between two other sons, Charles F. and John H. Crocker.

Mrs. Alexander is the residuary legatee, and her interest will probably extend to about \$10,000,000 of the property.

SURPRISED BY DR. MURPHY.

Health Officials Make a Descent Upon Greenpoint Grocers.

Dr. James Murphy, food inspector, and Officer Zimmerman, both of the Health Board, inspected the grocery and fruit stands in Greenpoint yesterday. The first place visited was the store of H. I. Schult, No. 115 Manhattan avenue. Numerous muskmelons, pears and cucumbers were condemned and placed in the official cart.

Also a groceryman, was next visited. His place is at No. 144 Manhattan avenue. A basket of cucumbers was found there which were unfit for consumption. They were also placed in the cart.

J. H. Walker, of No. 128 Manhattan avenue, was next called on. Baskets of cucumbers, corn and carrots were found unfit for use. They were placed in the wagon.

At L. H. Baker's store, No. 190 Manhattan avenue, a quantity of cucumbers in a decayed state was condemned.

D. Fallon, of No. 106 Manhattan avenue, displayed a quantity of muskmelons, pears and leeks. They were found in a state of decomposition and ordered to be placed in the cart.

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WHERE IS ROBIN BUNCH?

He Has Not Been Seen Since He Lighted on a Hot Chimney.

There is deep sorrow in the household at 43 West Thirty-ninth street over a little bird that has gone astray.

The bird is a pretty robin, and its name is Bunch.

Last summer, when Bunch was pretty much all mouth and eyes, he fell from his nest which his parents had built for him and his brothers and sisters in the crotch of a tree in Saratoga. This action the two old birds did not like, and to punish the careless birdlet, they left him to get along in the world as best he could.

But Bunch was destined to be well reared, for he fell where he was seen by Mrs. L. D. Hurd, a woman who has a passion for pet birds, and later in the season, when Mrs. Hurd came to New York, Bunch came along, too.

Bunch grew to be a beautiful bird. He knew his name and would fly across the room and light on Mrs. Hurd's shoulder when she called him. Besides, he sang melodiously, and with him around it was impossible to look on any other than the bright-side of life.

Yesterday morning Bunch was flying around the room as was his wont, when his feet started for a door. He flew after it, and when he opened an outside door he flew out into the open air. Mrs. Hurd called to him, and he answered with a chirp, but he did not come back.

The chimney was very hot, burned his little feet and so frightened poor Bunch that he sailed away over the next block and that was the last seen of him. Mrs. Hurd advertised for her pet, but this morning had heard nothing concerning him.

HE STOLE JOHNNY O'BRIEN'S MARE.

And Has Been Handed Over to the Tender Hands of Coney Island Justice.

Chief of the Bureau of Elections and Republican Boss in the Eighth Assembly District John J. O'Brien is playing in hard luck indeed.

Until last Sunday afternoon John was the proud owner of a feet-footed mare, behind which it was his delight to go speeding up the road of a fine afternoon.

Mr. O'Brien has a place at Coney Island, where it is his wont to while away the sultry summer days, and thither he hastened last Sunday morning.

He hitched the mare to the buggy and jogged along until he reached the Brighton Beach Hotel. The feet-footed steed was given into the care of an attendant and tied in the stable in the rear of the hotel.

The big man of the Eighth met some friends in the cafe and had chatted with them for a considerable time when it suddenly occurred to him that his feet-footed steed was not in the stable, and he started to look for it.

With an heir of resignation and surrounded by many sympathetic friends, Mr. O'Brien sought the aid of the police. A warrant for the arrest of the thief was issued, and Mr. O'Brien's troubles were intensified, and Coney Island was secured in vain to find him.

John sighed and went to Bridler's Hotel. He waited in vain for information until yesterday morning, when he learned that his mare had been found at Shepherd's stables, at Seventh avenue and Twenty-second street, where they were kept by a man named J. H. Hurd.

The guilty animal of the rig had himself been caught at 149 West Fifty-first street.

To-day the enterprising Hoecher was arrested for selling tomatoes, squashes and cucumbers which were decayed. They were seized and thrown among the rest of the rubbish.

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